DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice (2nd sort)	6·21	4·31	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	14·64	7·73	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		5·45	

Agricultural operations.—Collection of manure is going on. Cattle are healthy. Watter and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The fields are being manured in parts of Nelamangala, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks. Ploughing operations are going on in parts of Channapatna Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks; natu ragi in parts of Hoskote Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy and mulberry are in good condition. Paddy crop is reported to have withered for want of water in parts of Channapatna Taluk.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Magadi Taluks.

Estimated outturn.—Sugar-cane—Kankanhalli, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, 12 annas; Magadi Taluk, 8 annas; paddy—Devanhalli Taluk, 8 annas; ragi—Kankanhalli and Devanhalli Taluks, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available, but the prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Plague prevails in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, and Devanhalli Taluks; small-pox in parts of Bangalore and Nelamangala Taluks and influenza in parts of Anekal and Closepet Sub-Taluk; Public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala and Anekal Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 16 annas. Vaisakhi paddy in the taluks of Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Fair.

10. Season prospects—fair. Prices of food grains—prices show a very slight decrease. Labour—available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in a few places of the Sidlaghatta Taluk and Cholera in a village of Goribidnur Taluk.

12. Rinderpest is reported to prevail in all the taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, except Malur and Goribidnur Taluks. Fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Gubbi, and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. Sugar-cane in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Sira and Pavagada Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; cotton and kadale in parts of Sira Taluk, jola in parts of Pavagada Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, jola, cotton and kadale, are reported to be in good condition. Paddy in parts of the Maddagiri Taluk is affected by disease.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Though the market is well supplied, the prices still rule high and do not yet show any tendency to go down.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Sira and Maddagiri Taluks, public health is good in all the other parts of the district.

12. Rinderpest is prevailing in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk. Assistant Veterinary Inspector is doing the needful. Cattle are healthy in the other parts of the district. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied. Prices are ruling very high.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in parts of Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks, and the raiyats are waiting for mungar rains. Jola is being sown in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar and Nanjangud Taluks, halasandi in parts of Chamrajnagar and Krishnarjpete Taluks, black and green grams in parts of Krishnarajpete Taluk.

(2) *Crops standing. are.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, cotton, mulberry, black and green grams, tadagani, jute, castor and they are reported to be in good condition.

(3) *Crops harvested.*—Paddy is harvested in parts of Nagamangala Taluk, sugar-cane is being milled in parts of Chamrajnagar (0-8-0 to 0-12-0), Gundlupet (0-8-0) and Nagamangala Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good except for cholera in parts of Hunsur, influenza in parts of Yedatore, plague in parts of Gundlupet and small-pox in parts of Nagamangala Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Mysore, Gundlupet, Malvalli and Mandya Taluks and Foot and Mouth disease in part of Seringapatam and Nagamangala Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are fairly supplied. Prices still continue to be very high.

9. *Standing crops.*—Car paddy, sugar-cane and paddy are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops sown.—Car paddy is being sown in parts of Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Public health is generally good. Influenza is reported to be abating in parts of Hassan, and Manjarabad Taluks and the same is reported to be prevailing in parts of Belur, Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk. Plague is prevailing in parts of Arsikere Taluk and the same is reported to be abating in Hole-Narsipur Town. Small-pox is reported to be prevailing in parts of Arsikere Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in parts of Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane is being planted in parts of Shimoga, Honnali, Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Shikarpur, Nagar and Kumsi are reported to be in a good condition.

Crops harvested.—Milling of sugar-cane is going on in parts of the taluks of Channagiri, Shikarpur, and Sorab and almost completed in the Honnali Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Rain is wanted in the taluks of Shimoga Channagiri and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

11. Except for small-pox in some villages of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks; fever in parts of Shikarpur and Tirthahalli Taluks, public health is reported to be generally good.

Influenza is reported to have gone down in the villages of Hosabale and Nadavada Dodderi of Sorab Taluk. It is prevalent in a mild form in villages of the Tirthahalli Taluk.

12. Except for Rinderpest in a few villages of Shikarpur Taluk and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and foot and mouth disease in a few villages of Santhebennur Hobli, Channagiri Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Koppa, Mudgere and Chikmagalur Taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Koppa Taluk—Sugar-cane and paddy.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur and Kadur Taluks—paddy and sugar-cane. Tarikere Taluk—sugar-cane. Koppa Taluk—paddy. Mudgere Taluk—kode-paddy, chillies and sugar-cane. Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—sugar-cane, estimated yield not reported. Kadur Taluk—sugar-cane, estimated yield, 8 anas. Tarikere Taluk—sugar-cane, estimated yield, 8 annas. Mudgere Taluk—sugar-cane, estimated yield, 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Prices continue to be high.

11. Public health is generally good, except for influenza and small-pox in parts of the Koppa and Chikmagalur Taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk; plague in parts of the Kadur and Tarikere Taluks; ague in parts of the Koppa Taluk; and small-pox in parts of the Mudgere Taluk.

12. But for cattle disease in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, cotton, tobacco, wheat, bilijola, kusume and kadale are reported to be in fair condition. Wheat crop is reported to suffer from "Black disease" in the Hiriyur Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Cotton in the Chitaldrug Taluk (yield, 8 annas); cotton and paddy in the Challakere Taluk (yield, 8 annas); cotton, paddy and kadale in the Jagalur Taluk (yield, 4 to 8 annas); paddy in the Hosdurga Taluk (yield, 8 annas); and cotton in the Harihar Sub-Taluk (yield, 6 annas); castor, cotton and sugar-cane in the Davangere Taluk (yield, 8 to 10 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available, but prices remain high as usual.

11. Public health is generally good. Influenza is prevailing in a mild form in certain villages of Challakere, Holalkere, Davangere and Jagalur Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Chapperoga is prevailing at Mallapur in the Chitaldrug Taluk. Foot and mouth disease and rinderpest are prevailing in certain villages of Challakere, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

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Revenue Commissioner.